

ABSTRACT

A thermal printhead (A1) comprises an insulating substrate 5 (1), a common electrode (31) which is formed on the insulating substrate (1) and includes a plurality of comb teeth (31a), a plurality of individual electrodes (41) formed on the insulating substrate (1), and a resistor layer (51) formed on the insulating substrate (1) and electrically connected to the 10 comb teeth (31a) and the individual electrodes (41). The resistor layer (51) comprises a thin film, whereas the common electrode (31) and the individual electrodes (41) comprise a thick film.